

# Regular Meeting

<b>Agenda Item #</b>	3
<b>Meeting Date</b>	October 23, 2006
<b>Prepared By</b>	Jessie Carpenter City Clerk
<b>Approved By</b>	Barbara B. Matthews City Manager

<b>Discussion Item</b>	Second Reading Ordinance Amending Ordinance 2006-32 to Include in Residential Permit Parking Area 5 That Portion of the New Hampshire Avenue Service Road from Prince George's Avenue to the Dead End Just Beyond 6806 New Hampshire Avenue
<b>Background</b>	<p>On July 31, 2006, the Council adopted Ordinance 2006-32 which established Residential Permit Parking Area 5 to include the 6700 Block of Prince George's Avenue; the 6700 Block of Conway Avenue; the 400 and 500 Blocks of Belford Place; the 6800 Block of Belford Drive; and 6800, 6802, 6804, and 6806 New Hampshire Avenue in the City of Takoma Park. The ordinance restricted parking on those blocks to Area 5 residential parking permit holders from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m., seven days a week.</p> <p>The entire portion of the New Hampshire Avenue Service Road from Prince George's Avenue to the dead end just beyond 6806 New Hampshire Avenue should have been included in the ordinance, but was inadvertently omitted because sections of the roadway do not have residences located on it.</p> <p>The ordinance would restrict parking on the remaining portion of the New Hampshire Avenue Service Road from Prince George's Avenue to the dead end just beyond 6806 New Hampshire Avenue. In order to facilitate the posting of signs and enforcement, staff recommends that the ordinance be made effective immediately upon second reading.</p>
<b>Policy</b>	<p>City Code, Section 13.20.030, establishes a process for designation of residential permit parking areas.</p> <p>Administrative Regulation 99-1 provides written rules and procedures for the residential permit parking area petition process.</p>
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	Adding the additional area will have minimal fiscal impact.
<b>Attachments</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Second Reading Ordinance Amending Ordinance 2006-32 to Include in Residential Permit Parking Area 5 That Portion of the New Hampshire Avenue Service Road from Prince George's Avenue to the Dead End Just Beyond 6806 New Hampshire Avenue</li> <li>Ordinance 2006-32</li> <li>Map</li> </ul>
<b>Recommendation</b>	Council to adopt the ordinance at second reading.
<b>Special Consideration</b>	

Introduced by: Councilmember Clay

First Reading: October 9, 2006

Second Reading:

Effective Date:

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND**

**ORDINANCE 2006-48**

**AMENDING ORDINANCE 2006-32 TO INCLUDE IN RESIDENTIAL PERMIT  
PARKING AREA 5 THAT PORTION OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE SERVICE  
ROAD FROM PRINCE GEORGE'S AVENUE TO THE DEAD END JUST BEYOND  
6806 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE**

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance 2006-32 was adopted by the City Council on July 31, 2006 and became effective on September 1, 2006; and

**WHEREAS**, the ordinance established the 6700 Block of Prince George's Avenue; the 6700 Block of Conway Avenue; the 400 and 500 Blocks of Belford Place; the 6800 Block of Belford Drive; and 6800, 6802, 6804, and 6806 New Hampshire Avenue in the City of Takoma Park as Residential Permit Parking Area 5; and

**WHEREAS**, the days and hours for the "parking by permit only" restrictions on those blocks in Residential Permit Parking Area 5 are from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m., seven days a week; and

**WHEREAS**, the entire portion of the New Hampshire Avenue Service Road from Prince George's Avenue to the dead end just beyond 6806 New Hampshire Avenue should have been included in the restricted parking area.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** Residential Permit Parking Area 5 shall be extended to include that portion of the New Hampshire Avenue Service Road from Prince George's Avenue to the dead end just beyond 6806 New Hampshire Avenue.

**SECTION 2.** Parking on that portion of the New Hampshire Avenue Service Road shall be restricted to Area 5 permit holders from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m., seven days a week.

**SECTION 3.** This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

**Adopted by the Council of the City of Takoma Park this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2006 by  
roll-call vote as follows:**

**Aye:**

**Nay:**

**Absent:**

**Abstain:**

Introduced by: Councilmember Clay

First Reading: July 24, 2006

Second Reading: July 31, 2006

Effective Date: September 1, 2006

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND**

**ORDINANCE No. 2006-32**

**DESIGNATION OF A RESIDENTIAL PERMIT PARKING AREA FOR THE 6700 BLOCK OF PRINCE GEORGE'S AVENUE; THE 6700 BLOCK OF CONWAY AVENUE; THE 400 AND 500 BLOCKS OF BELFORD PLACE; THE 6800 BLOCK OF BELFORD DRIVE; AND 6800, 6802, 6804, AND 6806 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the provisions of Administrative Regulation No. 99-1 (by authority of *Takoma Park Code*, Title 13, Vehicles and Traffic, Section 13.20.030, Parking Permit Areas) residents of the 6700 Block of Prince George's Avenue; the 6700 Block of Conway Avenue; the 400 and 500 Blocks of Belford Place; the 6800 Block of Belford Drive; and 6800, 6802, 6804, and 6806 New Hampshire Avenue, have petitioned the Council requesting that ~~they~~ **their blocks be** designated as part of a residential permit parking area; and

**WHEREAS**, the petition was certified by the City Clerk as meeting the required percentage (at least 66%) of signatures from households in the subject area; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition to the certified petition, the petitioners are required to provide evidence to substantiate at least one factor (other than the desire of the residents in the area, demonstrated by signatures on the petition) being used in the evaluation process; and

**WHEREAS**, petitioners provided statements expressing concerns about the inadequacy of available on street parking for residents; and

**WHEREAS**, the request was discussed and approved at the June 22, 2006 meeting of the South of Sligo Citizens Association; and

**WHEREAS**, after proper notification, the City Council conducted a public hearing on Monday, July 17, 2006, to receive citizen comments on the request; and

**WHEREAS**, petitioners indicated that finding on-street parking in their neighborhood is especially difficult in the evening and on weekends; and

**WHEREAS**, based on residents' testimony, the Council desires to enlarge the hours of the residential permit parking restrictions to include weekends.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** The 6700 Block of Prince George's Avenue; the 6700 Block of Conway Avenue; the 400 and 500 Blocks of Belford Place; the 6800 Block of Belford Drive; and 6800, 6802, 6804, and 6806 New Hampshire Avenue in the City of Takoma Park are hereby established as Residential Permit Parking Area **5**.

**SECTION 2.** The days and hours for the "parking by permit only" restrictions in Residential Permit Parking Area **5** shall be from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. seven days a week.

**SECTION 3.** This ordinance shall become effective on September 1, 2006.

**Adopted by the Council of the City of Takoma Park this 31st day of July, 2006 by roll-call vote as follows:**

**Aye:** Porter, Austin-Lane, Barry, Clay, Seamens, Williams  
**Nay:**  
**Absent:** Elrich  
**Abstain:**

Note: Additions to Ordinance 2006-32 since first reading are shown by **shading**. Deletions are shown by ~~strikeout~~.

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ELM AVENUE

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New Hampshire Avenue Addresses

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CIRCLE AVENUE

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PRINCE GEORGE'S AVENUE PLACE

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NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE

Poplar Avenue Addresses